

DDSN Training for Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation Comprehension Test

Employee Name: _____

Date of training: _____

Date of Test: _____

Score: _____ (Must score 80% or re-test)

Provider Agency: _____

Section 1- True or False

1. All reports of abuse, neglect or exploitation must be reported as soon as possible, but within 24 hours. ☐ True ☐ False
2. A resident of any DDSN facility is a Vulnerable Adult. ☐ True ☐ False
3. Punishing a vulnerable adult by using a restrictive or physically intrusive procedure to control behavior may be considered physical abuse unless the procedure is included as a part of a therapeutic plan developed by a qualified professional. ☐ True ☐ False
4. Failure to properly follow a behavior support plan may result in an allegation of abuse. ☐ True ☐ False
5. If an employee does not think an allegation of abuse is true, they do not have to report. ☐ True ☐ False
6. An employee terminated for abuse, neglect, or exploitation as determined by SLED, local law enforcement, the Attorney General's Office, or DSS (either APS or CPS) will not be eligible for employment in any program, facility, service, or supports operated by DDSN or its contract service providers. ☐ True ☐ False

Section 2- Multiple Choice

7. The following persons are mandated reporters and shall report when they believe that a vulnerable adult has been or is likely to be abused, neglected, or exploited:
- A) Medical Professionals (physician, nurse, dentist, etc...)
 - B) Teacher, Counselor, psychologist
 - C) Caregiver, staff, supervisors and volunteers of day and residential facilities
 - D) All of the above.
8. Employees and volunteers of DDSN and its network of contracted service providers are all mandated reporters and are required to report the following in accordance with agency policy and state law:
- A) Abuse
 - B) Neglect
 - C) Exploitation
 - D) All of the above.
9. The following action must take place when an alleged perpetrator has been identified:
- A) The staff is assigned to work with another consumer or in another location.
 - B) The staff receives a written warning and placed back on the schedule.
 - C) The staff must be placed on administrative leave without pay pending the outcome of the investigation.
 - D) The staff is terminated without any internal review.
10. If under an Administrative or Management Review, the employee has been found to violate Written Rules, Regulations or Policies, employee disciplinary action will be taken based upon the nature and extent of the policy violation. This disciplinary action may include:
- A) Written Warning
 - B) Additional training
 - C) Termination
 - D) Any of the above, depending on the nature of the violation.

Section 3- Please fill in the blank using the word list below

Child Protection Reform Act	Omnibus Adult Protection Act	Psychological Abuse
Exploitation	Long Term Care Ombudsman (LTCO)	Department of Social Services (DSS)
Medicaid Fraud Control Unit (MFCU)	Misdemeanor	Law Enforcement
Supervisor		

11. _____ requires the reporting of any suspected abuse or neglect occurring to a child, age 17 and under.
12. _____ requires the reporting of suspected abuse, neglect, or exploitation of a vulnerable adult, age 18 and above.
13. _____ may include threatening, harassing or intimidating a vulnerable adult or committing other acts of intimidation that cause fear, humiliation, degradation, agitation, confusion, or other forms of serious emotional distress.
14. _____ may include causing a vulnerable adult to purchase goods or services for the profit or advantage of the seller or another person.
15. _____ investigates or cause to be investigated noncriminal reports of alleged abuse, neglect, and exploitation of vulnerable adults occurring in facilities other than those handled by SLED.
16. The Adult Protective Services Program (APS) or Child Protective Services Program (CPS) of the _____ investigates or causes to be investigated noncriminal reports of alleged abuse, neglect, and exploitation of vulnerable adults occurring in all settings other than facilities.
17. The _____ of the Office of the Attorney General (AG) investigates abuse, neglect and exploitation in facilities receiving Medicaid funds. This entity also investigates and prosecutes health care fraud committed by Medicaid providers.
18. A mandated reporter who knowingly and wilfully fails to report is guilty of a _____ and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than twenty-five hundred dollars or imprisoned not more than one year.
19. Provided the mandatory reporting requirements are met, a reporter can also make direct contact with _____, and in cases of an emergency, serious injury, or suspected sexual assault law enforcement must be contacted immediately.
20. After the report to the appropriate investigative agency is made, the employee is obligated to report the suspected abuse, neglect, or exploitation to their _____ or the Facility Administrator/Executive Director/CEO immediately following the report to the appropriate state investigative agency. Immediately means within one (1) hour. The person making the report must assure the alleged victim is safe.

I have completed this Comprehension Test independently after receiving training on Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation and DDSN Directive 534-02-DD: Procedures for Preventing and Reporting Abuse, Neglect, or Exploitation of People Receiving Services from DDSN or a Contract Provider Organization.

Employee Signature

Date: _____

Training staff responsible for providing correction for any missed questions to ensure the employee understands the correct procedures:

Training Staff/ Supervisor Signature

Date: _____